New projects of NHAI

†2001. SHRIMATI KUM KUM RAI: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the new projects initiated by National Highways Authority of India for the year 2004-05 and 2005-06, State-wise;

(b) the details of the estimated funds for these project;

(c) the details of the new Highways declared as National Highways, State-wise;

(d) whether there is any proposal to develop those Inter-State roads which are still State Highways; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIAPPA): (a) and (b) During the year 2004-05 and 2005-06, National Highways Development Project (NHDP) Phase IIIA has been approved by the Government with an estimated cost of Rs. 22,000 crores for upgradation of 4,000 km of National Highways on BOT basis. In addition, Government has also approved for initiating advance action in the form of preparation of Detailed Project Reports for upgradation of another 6,000 km of National Highways under NHDP Phase IIIB. The state-wise details of NHDP Phase IIIA is given in the Statement-I (*See* below).

(c) Details of the new National Highways declared on 25.2.2004 are given in the Statement-II (*See* below).

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) Proposals from various States to develop Inter-State roads are received periodically which are considered and finalized in consultation with State Governments based on traffic intensity, importance of the places to be connected and inter-see-priority.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement-I

List of stretches identified under NHDP Phase IIIA

Sl. No.	NH No.	State	Stretch	Length (in km.)
1	2	3	4	5
1	1	Punjab	Jalandhar-Amritsar	49
2	3	Maharashtra	Dhule-Pimpalgaon	118
3	3	Maharashtra	Vadepe-Gonde	100
4	3	Madhya Pradesh	Indore-Khalaghat	83
5	3	Madhya Pradesh	Guna Bypass	12.25
6	4	Karnataka	Neelamangala-Bangalore	30
7	4	Karnataka	Bangalore-Hoskote-Kolar-Mudabagal	75
8	4A	Karnataka	Balgaum-Goa/Karnataka Border	84
9	6	Chhattisgarh	Raipur-Aurang	45
10	6	Maharashtra	Nagpur-Wainganga Br	60
11	6	Maharashtra	Wainganga Br-Maharashtra/ Chhattisgarh Border	76
12	6	Chhattisgarh	Maharashtra-Chhattisgarh Border-Durg	90
13	6	Maharashtra	Nagpur-Kondhali	40
14	6	Maharashtra	Kondhali-Telegone	50
15	7	Karnataka	Bangalore-Hosur	25
16	9	Andhra Pradesh	Hyderabad-Vijayawada	176
17	9	Andhra Pradesh	Vijayawada-Machhlipatnam	65
18	10	Delhi/Haryana	Delhi-Hassar	160
19	11	Uttar Pradesh/Rajasthan	Agra-Bharatpur	63

1	2	3	4	5
20	11	Rajasthan	Bharatpur-Mahua	57
21	11	Rajasthan	Mahua-Jaipur	108
22	17	Karnataka	Kundapur-Surathkal	71
23	17	Karnataka	Mangalore-Karnataka/Kerala Border	18
24	21	Punjab	Chandigarh-Kiratpur	73
25	21 & 22	Haryana/Punjab	Ambala-Zirakpur	35
26	22	Punjab/Haryana	Zirakpur-Kalka-Simla	133
27	24	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow-Sitapur	76
28	33	Jharkhand	Hazaribagh-Trichy	75
29	45	Tamil Nadu	Dindigul-Trichy	80
30	45-B	Tamil Nadu	Madurai-Tuticorin	144
31	47	Kerala	Charthala-Thiruvananthapuram	187
32	47	Kerala/Tamil Nadu	Trivendrum-Kanyakumari	113
33	48	Karnataka	Neelmangala-Hassan	154
34	50	Maharashtra	Pune-Khed	30
35	58	Uttar Pradesh	Delhi-Meerut	46
36	58	Uttar Pradesh	Meerut-Muzaffernagar	79
37	58 & 72	Uttaranchal/UP	Muzaffernagar-Dehradun	146
38	66	Pondicherry/Tamil Nad	Pondicherry-Tindivanam	40
39	66	Tamil Nadu	Krishnagiri-Tindivanam	170
40	67	Tamil Nadu	Nagapatnam-Thenjavur-Trichy	130
41	66	Tamil Nadu	Trichy-Karur (including Trichy Bypass)	88
42	66	Tamil Nadu	Salem-Ulundrupet	134
43	200	Orissa	Chandikhole-Duburi	39
44	205	A.P./Tamil Nadu	Tirupati-Tiruthani-Chennai	138
45	215	Orissa	Panikoili-Roxy	249
			TOTAL	4014.25

Statement-II

State-wise List of New National Highways declared on 25.02.2004, along with their approximate length

Sl. No.	National Highway No.	Description	Approximate Length (km)
1	2	3	4
		States/Union Territories	
1	**Andhra Pradesh**		
1	NH 214 A	The highway starting from the junction of NH 214 near Digamaru connecting Narasapur-Machilipatnam-Challapalle-Avanigadda-Repalle-Bapatla-Chirala and terminating at its junction with NH 5 near Ongole	255
2	NH221	The highway starting from the junction of NH 9 near Vijaywada connecting Kondapalli-Mailavaram-Tiruvuru-Penuballi-Kothagudem-Palvancha-Bhadrachalam-Nallipaka-ChinturuKonta upto Chhattisgarh border	155
3	NH 222	Maharashtra border to junction with NH 7 near Nirmal	60
		Sub Total	**470**
2	**Bihar**		
1	NH 57A	The highway starting from the junction of NH 57 near forbesganj and terminating at Jogbani	15
2	NH 28B	The highway starting from its junction with NH-28 A from Chhapwa connecting Bettiah, Lauriya, Bagaha, Chhitauni Rail cum road bridge and upto Uttar Pradesh Border	121
3	NH 110	The highway starting from its junction with NH-98 from Arwal connection Jahanabad-Bandhuganj-Ekangarsarai and terminating at its junction with NH 31 near Biharsharif	89
		Sub Total	**225**
3	**Chhattisgarh**		
1	NH 111	The highway starting from its junction with NH-200 near Bilaspur connecting Katghora and terminating at its junction with XNH 78 near Ambikapur	200

1	2	3	4
2	NH 221	From Andhra Pradesh Border and terminating at its junction with HN 16 near Jagadalpur	174
		Sub Total	**374**
4	**Gujarat**		
1	NH 8A	The highway starting from Narayan sarover connecting Naliya-Kothara-Vikhadi Extension and terminating at its junction with NH 8A near Mandvi	145
2	NH 8E Extension	The highway starting from Dwarka connecting Bhogat-Porbandar-Navibander and terminating at its junction with NH 8A near Somnath	225
3	NH 113	From Rajasthan border connecting Jhalod-Limbi and terminating at its junction with NH 59 near Dahod	40
		Sub Total	**410**
1	NH 73 A	The highway starting from the junction of NH-73 near Yamuna Nagar and connectiong Jagadhri-mustafabad-Ledi—Darpur and upto Himachal Pradesh border	42
2	NH 71 B	The highway starting from the junction of NH-71 near Rewari connecting Dharuhera upto Rajasthan border;	69
		from Rajasthan border connection Taoru—Sohna and terminating at its junction with NH 2 near Palwal	
		Sub Total	**111**
6	**Himachal Pradesh**		
1	NH 73A	From Haryana border upto junction with NH 72 near Paontasahib	20
		Sub Total	**20**
7	**Jharkhand**		
	NH 75 Extension	The Highway starting from the junction of NH-33 near Ranchi connecting Khunti-Murhu-Chakradharpur-Chaibasa-Jauitgarh upto Orissa border **Sub Total**	202
8.	**Karnataka**		
1	NH 218 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 13 near Bijapur and connecting Javargi—Gulbarga and terminating at its junction with NH 9 near Hombabad	223
2	NH 67 Extension	From Tamil Nadu border to junction with NH 212 near Gundlupet	50
		Sub Total	**273**
9	**Madhya Pradesh**		
1	NH 86A	The highway starting from its junc;tion with NH 86 near Rahatgarh connecting Begamganj—Gairatganj—and terminating at its junction with NH 86 near Raisen	131

1	2	4	
2	NH 12A Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 7 near Jabalpur connecting Damoh- Hirapur-Shahgarh-Tikamgarh-Pirthipur and upto Uttar Pradesh border	330
3	NH 26A	The highway starting from its junction with NH 86 near Sagar connecting Jeruwakhera-Khurai and terminating at Bina	75
		Sub Total	**536**
10	**Maharashtra**		
1	NH 222	The highway starting from the junction of NH-3 near Kalyan and connecting Ahmadnagar-Pachegaon (NH 211)-Majalgaon-Parbhani-Nanded upto Andhra Pradesh border	550
		Sub total	**550**
11	**Manipur**		
1	NH 155	From Nagaland Border and terminating at junction with NH 150 near jessami	5
		Sub total	**5**
12	**Meghalaya**		
1	NH 44 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 40 near Shillong and terminating at Nongstoin	93
		Sub Total	**93**
13	**Nagaland**		
1	HN 155	The highway starting from its junction with NH 61 near Mokokchung connection Tuensang-Sampure-Meluri and upto Manipur border	125
		Sub Total	**125**
14	**Orissa**		
1	NH 224	The highway starting from its junction with NH 5 near Khurda and connecting Nayagarh and terminating at its juncton with NH 201 near Balangir	298
2	NH 203 A	The highway starting from its junction with NH 203 at Puri, connecting Bramhagiri and terminating at Satpada	49
3	NH 203 Extension	The highway starting from Puri and terminating at Konark	38
4	NH 75 Extension	From Jharkhand border to junction with NH 215 near Parsora	18
		Sub Total	**403**

1	2	3	4
15	**Rajasthan**		
1	NH 113	The highway starting from the junction of NH-79 near Nimahera and connecting Pratapgarh-Banswara-up to Gujarat border	200
2	NH 112	The highway starting from its junction with NH 14 near Ban connection Jaitaran-Bilara-Kaparda-Jodhpur-Kalyanpur-Pachpadra-Balotra-Tilwara-Kher-Bagundi-Dhudhwa-Madhasar-Kawas and terminating at its junction with NH 15 near barmer	343
3	NH 114	The highway starting from its junction with NH 65 near Jodhpur connecting Balesar-Dachhu and terminating at its junction with NH 15 near Pokaran	180
4	NH 116	The highway starting from its junction with NH 12 near Tonk connecting Uniara and terminating at Swaimadhopur	80
5	NH 11B	The highway starting from its junction with NH 11A near Lalsot connecting Karauli-and terminating at its junction with NH 3 near Dhaulpur	180
6	NH 71 B	From Haryana border near Dharuhera (Haryana) upto Haryana border (eventually continuing beyond Taoru (Haryana)	5
		Sub Total	**988**
16	**Tamil Nadu**		
1	NH 45C	The highway starting from its junction with NH 67 near Thanjavur connecting Kumbakonam-Vriddhachalam and terminting at its junctionwith NH near Ulunderpettai	159
2	NH 47B	The highway starting from its junction with NH 47 near Nagercoil connecting Aralvaymozhi and terminating at its junction with NH7 near Kavalkinaru	45
3	NH 67 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 47 near Coimbatore connecting Mettupalyam-Ooty-Gudalur and upto Karnataka border	148
4	NH 45	The highway starting from its junction with NH-7 near Dindigul Extension connecting Periyakulam and terminating at its junction with NH 49 near Teni	73
		Sub Total	**425**
17	**Uttaranchal**		
1	NH 123	The highway starting from its junction with NH 72 connecting Vikasnagar-kalsi-Barkat and terminating at junctionwith NH 94 near Barkot bend	95

1	2	3	4
2	NH 119	From Uttar Pradesh border connecting Kotdwara-Pauri and terminating at its junction with NH 58 near Srinagar	135
3	NH-121	The highway starting from its junction with NH 74 near Kashipur connecting Ramnagar-Dhumkat—Thalisain—Tripalisain—Pabo and terminating at NH 119 near Bubakhal	
4	NH 87 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 87 Nainital connection Bhowali- Almora-Ranikhet—Dwarahat-Chaukutia-Gairsain-Adbabri and terminating at its junction with NH 58 near karna Prayag	233
5	NH 125	The highway starting from its junction with NH 74 near Sitarganj connecting Khatima-Tanakpur and terminating at Pithoragarh	201
		Sub total	**916**
18	**Uttar Pradesh**		
1	NH 119	The highway starting from its junction with NH 58 near Meerut connecting Bijnor-Najibabad-upto Uttaranchal border	125
2	NH 91 A	The highway starting from its junction with NH 2 near Etawah-connecting Bharthana-Bidhuna-Bela and terminating at its junction with NH 91 near Kannauj	126
3	NH 76 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 27 near Allahabad and terminating at its junction with NH 7 near Mirzapur	120
4	NH 28C	The highway starting from its junction with NH 28 near Barabanki connecting Bahraich and terminating at Nepalganj	140
5	NH 29 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 28 near Gorakhpur connecting Pharenda-and terminating at Sonauli	110
6	NH 28B	From Bihar border upto junction with NH 28 near Kushinagar in the State of Uttar Pradesh	29
7	NH 12A	From Madhya Pradesh border upto junction with NH 26 near Jhansi Extension	7
		Sub Total	**657**
19	**West Bengal**		
1	NH 60 Extension	The highway starting from its junction with NH 2 near Raniganj connecting Pandaveswara-Dabrajpur-siuri and terminating at its junction with NH 34 near Moregram	141
2	NH 60 A	The highway starting from its junction with NH 60 near Bankura and terminating at its junction with NH 32 near Puruliya	100

1	2	3	4
3	NH 117	The highway starting from its junction with NH 6 connecting Kona Expressway-Vidyasagar Setu-Kolkata-Diamond harbour-Kulpi-Namkhana and terminating at Bakkhali	133
		Sub Total	**374**
20	**Andaman & Nicobar Islands**		
1	NH 223	The Andaman Trunk Road	300
		Sub Total	**300**
		Grand Total	**7457**

Sethu Samudram Project

†2002. SHRI R.S. GAVAI: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to start Sethu Samudram Project;

(b) if so, the distance likely to be reduced for ships sailing from West to East Coast and *vice-versa* following the completion of the said project;

(c) whether larger ships would also be able to sail through this way after the completion of this project;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the steps Government propose to take to enable larger ships also to sail through this way?

THE MINISTER OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) The Government is already implementing Sethu Samudram Ship Channel Project.

(b) Once complete, the navigable distance for the ships sailing from the west to the east coast and *vice-versa* will be reduced in the range of 254—424 nautical miles.

(c) to (e) Keeping in view the environmental sensitivity of the region and

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